

Level III and IV Aquatic Supervision Staff CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION (CPR) CERTIFICATIONS*

For NYS Bathing Facilities

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(Go to www.health.ny.gov to view most current certification list)

Level III and IV Aquatic Supervisory Staff are required to possess an American Red Cross (ARC) CPR or equivalent (except when staff is employed at bathing facilities that are part of a temporary residence or campground). As a result of changes in ARC's curriculum, the code standard "Community CPR" is no longer taught. Acceptable certification equivalents are listed below.

Accepted Courses	
Provider	Certification Title
American Heart Association	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Heartsaver CPR¹ ➤ Heartsaver AED¹ ➤ Heartsaver CPR AED
American Red Cross	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ CPR-Adult, Child and Infant ➤ CPR/AED-Adult plus CPR-Child and Infant ➤ CPR/AED Adult and Child plus CPR-Infant
Emergency Care and Safety Institute	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Adult and Pediatric CPR¹ ➤ Adult and Pediatric CPR/AED¹ ➤ Adult, Child, Infant CPR ➤ Adult, Child, Infant CPR/AED
EMS Safety Services, Inc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ CPR
Medic First Aid Cards must be accompanied by a "Successful Evaluation Certificate" which indicates that the individual has passed written and performance evaluations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Medic First Aid Basic and Medic First Aid Infant and Child Supplement (both certifications required) ➤ Medic First Aid Care Plus CPR (card must indicate that Adult, Infant, and Child Skills were taught)

****CPR certification is valid for 1 year from the date of certification, regardless of the expiration date shown on the card.***

ARC CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer and its equivalents exceed the requirements for ARC CPR – Adult, Child and Infant and are also acceptable for Level III and IV Aquatic Supervisory staff. A complete list of these courses can be found on the Fact Sheet entitled "Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Certification for NYS Children's Camps and NYS Bathing Facilities."

¹ The CPR course is no longer offered. Existing certifications are valid for a maximum of 1 year from date of certification.